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City of Churches and Acknowl-
edged Seat of Learning
in Kentucky.

The Van Vocht Takes Another
Whack at Frankfort and
Its Buildings.

Misses Josie Hurley and Mary
O'Connor Honored by the
Young Ladies.

PERSONAL AND SOCIETY HAPPENINGS

[Special Letter to the Kentucky Irish
American.]

SHREVEPORT, Ky., May 26.—Breathe it gently! Let it not be heard beyond the Franklin hills that the correspondent from Frankfort so far forgot his cunning as to designate the "State buildings" of the grand old Commonwealth as unfit to be used as stables for the Governor! What of the sadly dilapidated concern which the inhabitants of the Capital City proudly point out to visitors as the Governor's mansion. Writing under a strain of extreme nervous excitement, because forced to notice our able effusions, he forgot that Shelbyville is the city of churches and the acknowledged seat of learning in Kentucky. With our numerous schools and colleges of high degree and world-wide reputation, no wonder that our city should lay claim to the capital, and the "invaluable Shelby"—I think that Jew for teaching me that word—would soon reflect honor on the "proudest State on earth." Here, with every influence for good, we would receive the "mossback legislators" and send them back to their constituents wiser and soberer men. Shelbyville has no unsafe nor unsightly sidewalks, no debts, and its tax rate the lowest of any city in Kentucky. With this record, we invite outsiders seeking for an up-to-date city to come and cast their lot with us. Of late a number of the wisest and best citizens have settled here, including the Hon. Frank Peak and family. The Kentucky Irish American is now read by every one, and all are anxious to know who the "Shan Van" is. The ability of the letters is such as to almost justify every one suspected to implicitly receive the praises bestowed.

Our reference to the efficiency of our police force had an effect which we had not hoped for. Every man grew so important and swelled with laudable pride as he read the Kentucky Irish American that Capt. Pemberton was obliged to order a new lot of buttons for the Southern gray suits. The new buttons have been put on with a view to strength and stability, as City Engineer O'Leary is sure to supply the force with the Kentucky Irish American.

The identity of the "Shan Van Vocht" is known only to the editors of the Sentinel—in their minds. What they don't know is not worth knowing. It would be regrettable, however, after their earnest, exhaustive and noble efforts if they should so widely miss the mark in the gubernatorial race as they are mistaken in their opinions and alleged accusations as to the writer of these letters. Since they have not, however, accused us, we simply wish them every success in their hopes and undertakings, reminding them and the curiously morbid that the "Shan Van" at present is as unknown as the writer of Junius' letters.

The members of the Pewee Valley congregation are making strenuous efforts toward making their entertainment soon to be given a financial success. The members of the Shelbyville congregation will lend a helping hand, realizing that "one good turn deserves another." Mr. and Mrs. Miles Williams, of Eminence, were in our city during the past week, soliciting advertisements from our merchants and business men for their programme. We understand that they met very satisfactory results. Our people are always pleased to meet and ever ready to aid those engaged in work for the benefit of the church. Success to Father McPartland and his able and earnest assistants.

The Young Ladies' Sodality of our church held their annual meeting for the election of officers on last Sunday evening. Misses Josie Hurley and Mary O'Connor were re-elected to the offices of Prefect and Secretary and Treasurer, which they held during the past year. An eloquent and beautiful sermon was preached by Father Fitzgerald, and all made the act of consecration with earnestness and fervor. We understand the young ladies contemplate giving a social or entertainment in the near future for the benefit of the church.

Several friends of Dennis McGann, the Shelby boy who is now with the Brooklyn team, went to the city this week to see the games. The boys here take a great pride in him and watch his record very closely, which has been a splendid one since he first began playing ball.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Hickey recently returned from Carrollton to make this city their future home, he having bought an interest in the grocery store of M. L. Dubourg. We wish him and his charming wife every success, and are glad to welcome them back again.

Col. John M. Casey went with the Travelers' Protective Association to Mammoth Cave last week, and speaks very highly of his trip and the splendid treat-

ment accorded him by the drummer boys. Father Fitzgerald spent Tuesday in Louisville this week. By the way, he is said to be the handsomest man in Shelby county, and we have every reason to feel very proud of him.

The city and county are making extensive preparations for Decoration day, that we are to celebrate with great ceremony, Mayor L. C. Willis having proclaimed a half holiday. All the stores will close from 1 to 5 p. m. and take part in the exercises. Some one suggested that we "rig out" the "Colonel," as all the old soldiers will take part, but he is not at all proud of the title, it having come too easy to him, but very much in all the Kentucky "Colonels" get theirs. SHAN VAN VOCHT.

WILLIAM J. O'HEARN.

Mr. William J. O'Hearn, who announces himself as a candidate for Alderman, is a self-made man, and is a reputable citizen in the strictest sense of the word. He is Superintendent of the Anderson and Nelson Distillery Company.



and has gained this important position by the faithful performance of his duties in every respect. If selected to the position of Alderman it may be truthfully said that he will always work in the best interests of the city and its constituents. As a member of the upper board of the city government he has acquitted himself with credit, and demonstrated his fitness for the position to which he now seeks re-election.

HOME AGAIN.

Joseph S. Cunningham Here,
After Seeing Service In
Cuba.

The many friends of popular Joe Cunningham will be gratified to learn that he arrived in the city Tuesday. Mr. Cunningham went to Havana with Col. Williams, of the Jeffersonville Government Depot, last October, and for seven months held an important position in the Quartermaster's Department.

Of the six men who accompanied Col. Williams four took yellow fever and one died. Surprise was expressed at Mr. Cunningham's escape from the dread disease, as he remained with his unfortunate countrymen till they were removed to the fever hospitals.

During his stay in Cuba he made a fine record, and resigned only that he might return to his family in this city before the excessively hot weather sets in in Cuba and while enjoying good health. He is at his home on Fifth street.

JOHN CRIBBINS FOR COUNCILMAN.

Mr. John Cribbins announces himself as a candidate for Councilman from the First ward to be voted for in the city at large, subject to the action of the Democratic party. Mr. Cribbins is an enterprising young man and deserves success.



He spent a greater portion of his life here, and was for a number of years a trusted employee of the Dennis Long Company, and is thoroughly identified with labor interests. He is a member of the Irish American Society, the Heptaphans and other fraternal orders. If selected to make the race he will make a first-class city official.

DEATH OF A CHRISTIAN LADY.

In the death of Mrs. Mary Thornton, which occurred at her home on High street Monday morning, the West End loses one of its most respected residents and St. Patrick's parish a zealous Christian worker. Deceased was about eighty years of age and had been ill but a short time, and her death is sincerely mourned by a large circle of acquaintances. Mrs. Thornton had been a resident of this city for fifty years, coming here from Waterford, Ireland, upon the death of her husband. She was always working for the best interests of her church and the poor, and a kind and affectionate mother, and was highly esteemed by all who had the pleasure of her acquaintance.

Surviving her is one daughter, Mrs. Nicholas Holleran, and Mrs. John J. Flynn is her granddaughter. She was also a cousin of Right Rev. Monsignor Gambon. Her funeral took place Wednesday morning from St. Patrick's church, largely attended by sorrowing friends.

QUEER ACTION.

Hibernians Condemned by the
Archbishop of Glasgow,
Scotland.

The Sacraments Are Denied to
Members of This Organi-
zation.

American Hibernians Inter-
ested in Behalf of Scotch
Brethren.

SOME VIEWS ON THE QUESTION

Hibernians in this vicinity find it difficult to understand the action of Archbishop Eyre, of Glasgow, Scotland, who has forbidden the members of the Ancient Order of Hibernians to approach the sacraments. In this country, as is well known, the order is looked upon as a valuable adjunct of the church, and clergymen are among its most enthusiastic members, says a writer in the Syracuse Catholic Sun, and the same is true here in Louisville.

The trouble in Scotland is of long standing. In connection with the ban a letter was addressed to Bishop McPaul, of Trenton, when he was presiding over the last national convention in his Episcopal city. The Glasgow brethren petitioned Bishop McPaul to endeavor to have the ban removed. The convention unanimously resolved to entrust the matter to the incoming national directory, and afterward the National President and National Chaplain were invested with full power to act in the premises. Whatever action they took, however, seems to have been of no avail, for the ban continues in force.

President John B. O'Higgins, of Military Division 43, Boston, who has followed the case since the controversy first arose, thus explains the situation: "I can well understand the action of Archbishop Eyre and Bishop Maguire, of Glasgow. In their over-zealous desire to prevent the spread of Irish Nationalist societies they strike at the Ancient Order of Hibernians and thereby miss the mark. These right reverend gentlemen should be aware by this time that the Ancient Order of Hibernians is not a revolutionary society, being purely beneficent and fraternal. In fact, I can say without fear of contradiction that they have over-stretched the powers given to the Bishops and priests over twenty years ago by making the ban issued at that time from Rome over the present case.

"During my visit to Glasgow in 1866 I interviewed Bishop McGuire on behalf of the Glasgow brethren, and informed him that they were in affiliation with the order on this side, and that both the members in Glasgow as well as those on this side courted the closest investigation. I referred him to Right Rev. John S. Foley, D. D., of Detroit, as an authority, or Archbishop Ryan, of Philadelphia.

"I found the reverend Bishop, however, very hard to convince on the subject, and to my mind not over-anxious to trouble or burden himself with the matter. I advised the Glasgow brethren to forward a petition to Rome asking for an inquiry into the matter. I believe this has been done, but am not positive on that head. I do know, however, that Bishop McPaul stated he knew of no reason why the members of the order in Glasgow should be placed under a ban. It is done, I believe, on the strength of an original edict issued from Rome many years ago, but for what purpose I can not say. I have taken a lively interest in this matter, and attended the late national convention at Trenton on behalf of and at the request of the Glasgow brethren. I attended the meetings of the committee 'on foreign relations,' and submitted the facts to them, with the result that the National President and National Chaplain were instructed to take the matter in charge."

In speaking of this matter the Boston Republic says: "Quite naturally the members of the Ancient Order of Hibernians in this country are exercised over the continuation of the ecclesiastical ban put upon their brethren in Glasgow by Archbishop Eyre. Here the order enjoys the fullest liberty. It is recognized as a benevolent society pure and simple, and not at all as a secret organization deserving censure or restriction. Bishop McPaul, of New Jersey, is one of the conspicuous members of the American section of the order. Bishop Foley, of Detroit, is also a member, and several Archbishops have marked the society with their favor. Consequently the leading men in the Ancient Order of Hibernians are unable to understand why the Archbishop of Glasgow should refuse the sacrament to the members of the order who live within his jurisdiction, and thus practically excommunicate them.

"The reason is not far to seek. Probe the matter deeply enough and there is sure to be found a bit of British secret intrigue in it. England has never failed when she wished to suppress organized opposition to her rule of brutality in Ireland. In some way or other she has always managed to invoke the aid of Rome and to secure it against the Irish people. But she is making a mistake to enlist the church on her side when she strikes at a great fraternal and benevo-

lent order like the Ancient Order of Hibernians. We are glad that the directory of the American order are interesting themselves on behalf of their Scotch brethren."

MICHAEL DOERHOEFER.

Mike Doerhoefer, general manager of the American Tobacco works at Eighth and Broadway, is announced as a candidate for Alderman in the Demo-



cratic primary. Mr. Doerhoefer is prominent in one of the city's principal industries, directly interested in the general welfare of Louisville, and can be relied on to devote time and attention to giving the city wise and just government, so essential to material progress, which we all want.

CENTRAL LABOR UNION

Will Admit New Delegates at
Its Meeting Tomorrow
Afternoon.

The monthly meeting of the Central Labor Union will take place tomorrow, when delegates from several new unions will be admitted, making thirty organizations represented in that body. There will be much business of importance, and President McGill requests each delegate to be present.

A complete and official labor roster of the central body will be prepared for publication in the next issue of the Kentucky Irish American, which is the only official organ of the trades unionists in this city.

DR. R. B. GILBERT FOR ALDERMAN.

Dr. R. B. Gilbert, who is a candidate for re-election for Alderman, has served one term in this capacity to the entire satisfaction of his constituency. Dr. Gilbert is recognized as one of our leading physicians and has always been deeply interested in adopting plans to improve the sanitary condition of the city. He has recently returned from several Eastern cities, where he went to make observations in regard to different methods for destroying garbage and city sanitation generally, and he says Louisville will adopt some economical means of destroying garbage rather than dump it on the commons, where it endangers the health of the people. Dr. Gilbert also suggests for the city to establish three free bath houses for the benefit of poor people, and also to purchase Central Park as a pure air breathing locality for the children of the poorer classes during hot weather. He thinks by this means hundreds of poor sick children can be relieved of suffering without medical treatment. There is no pay attached to the office, and to successfully carry out these plans is Dr. Gilbert's chief desire for re-election to the Board of Aldermen.

EXCURSION TOMORROW.

The Hibernian Knights Will
Take a Crowd Up the River
With Them.

The Hibernian Knights have everything arranged for a jolly time tomorrow, when they will take their friends on an excursion to Madison and the Kentucky river. Several features will be introduced for the entertainment of the excursionists, and Scally's orchestra will furnish the music. Capt. Breen, Lieutenant Hallahan and Campbell, Joe Taylor and the other members will see to it that all have an enjoyable time. Meals will be served on the boat.

TRINITY COUNCIL.

Trinity Council 230, Young Men's Institute, held a very interesting meeting Monday evening with a large attendance. One candidate received the degree. The visitors present were the Rev. Father Gabriel Lips, of St. Bernard, and formerly chaplain; Rev. Father Prosper, of St. Joseph's church; Supreme President Francis J. Kierce, of San Francisco, Cal., and Richard J. Shanley, District Deputy of the Young Men's Institute, Kentucky jurisdiction, and many visitors from Mackin and Sault Ste. Marie. Mr. Kierce made an eloquent address, telling of the good the Young Men's Institute has done and what it is doing. The Rev. Fathers also spoke, and their remarks were well received. The Picnic Committee for July 4 at Fern Grove, composed of James B. Kelly, Chairman; T. J. Garvey, Secretary; Ben F. Hund, Nick Kraus and Michael E. McCarthy, reported everything progressing. Judge Frank E. Dougherty, of Bardonia, Ky., a member of Trinity Council, is sick at the St. Joseph's Infirmary. All members of Trinity are requested to pay him a visit. Meeting Monday evening. All members are urged to be present.

O'DONNELL.

Interesting Sketch of His His-
tory in Service of Spain
in Cuba.

His Name Is Carved on the
Famous Tower on Morro
Castle.

Queen Isabella's Tribute to the
Distinguished Statesman
and Soldier.

DESCENDED FROM A NOBLE FAMILY

As the writer entered the harbor of Havana, like all other persons who visit that historic city, he was impressed with the tremendous strength of Morro. On the famous tower that contains the light-house is carved in large letters the name "O'Donnell," concerning whom a few words might prove interesting to the many readers of the Kentucky Irish American.

The O'Donnells were one of those noble Irish families who emigrated from Ireland with the O'Reillys, O'Farrells and others to Spain during the Jacobite wars in England and Ireland. The present Duke of Tetuan, late member of the Spanish Cabinet, is the son of the O'Donnell whose name is carved on Morro's tower. Senor Leopoldo O'Donnell was born in Tenerife, one of the Canary Islands, in January, 1809, and was the descendant of the O'Donnells who possessed a large patrimony in Tremouille (Tyrounne), Ireland. In one of those clanish quarrels which were so frequent in those days the O'Donnells were overpowered by the powerful family of the O'Neills. One of the O'Donnells, ancestor of Leopoldo O'Donnell, won by his valor from James I. the title of Baron of Donegal and Tremouille. When the Stuarts were driven into exile the O'Donnells followed the proscribed dynasty. Part of the family settled in Austria, the rest going to Spain. These countries were dominated by a Catholic and monarchical spirit in harmony with the religious and political beliefs of those noble emigrants.

The O'Donnells kept up their reputation for bravery in the land of their adoption. At the expense of their blood they became naturalized in Spain. Leopoldo O'Donnell's father was Lieutenant General and his grandfather Lieutenant Colonel of a regiment formed of those emigrants from Ireland. Son of a family of soldiers, and raised during a time when Spain was endeavoring to throw off the yoke of the Bonapartes, young O'Donnell naturally took to the army. By a special royal decree he was made a sub-Lieutenant at the age of eleven, and was made a full Lieutenant in 1827. When Don Pedro Sarsfield formed an army of observation on the frontier of Portugal in 1829 O'Donnell commanded one of the regiments. Shortly afterward he went to Catalonia, where he had an audience with the King, who gave him a command in the army sent to suppress the Carlists.

An old Spanish writer, in speaking of O'Donnell at this time, said that he was tall and fair and plainly showed his Northern extraction. The turning point in O'Donnell's career was the death of the reigning monarch, which occurred in 1833. All Spain divided into two hostile camps. On the one side was the Infante Don Carlos, with all the old traditions of absolute monarchy, while on the other stood the Infanta Isabella, representing the Liberal party. Everything seemed to point to Carlist success, but O'Donnell did not hesitate a moment. Although the traditions of his family, the example of his brothers and the pleadings of his mother, whom he adored, all tended to drive him into the camp of the Carlists, O'Donnell decided for Isabella and the Liberal party. He remained faithful to the Queen in all the years of his life from the time he first espoused her cause, from 1833 till his death in 1867. Always faithful to his ideas of loyalty and patriotism, today he was triumphant, tomorrow an exile, but whether soldier, General, Minister or member of Parliament, he remained incorruptible.

He was sent to Cuba in 1843, where he remained for five years. It is said that in Cuba, and in fact in all the Spanish colonies, the office of Captain General was given to some favorite who plundered the colonists and returned to Spain with the fortune of a prince. This was said particularly about Gen. Weyler, who is charged with returning to Spain the possessor of a fortune of \$5,000,000. Whatever truth may be in these allegations, it is certain that O'Donnell returned to the Peninsula poorer than he came. He was the first Captain General that visited the whole island. He remodeled the army, which had little or no discipline. He strengthened all the fortifications around Havana, especially El Morro, which still bears his name on its famous tower. He also suppressed a formidable insurrection of the slaves.

Up to O'Donnell's time several English firms had been repairing all the ships that entered Havana harbor. He changed this and had the work done by Cuban and Spanish workmen. For this he was terribly abused by the British press, especially the London Times. When he re-

turned to Spain he was loaded with dignities by the Government. During all the Carlist and other revolutions that disturbed Spain he remained faithful to Isabella. He died November 5, 1867, mourned by the entire Spanish people. Queen Isabella wrote:

"In the death of Leopoldo O'Donnell, Duke of Tetuan, Spain has lost one of its most distinguished statesmen and Generals, whose name and whose deeds will be recorded by the historian."

The Irish race the world over may well be proud of the achievements and memory of O'Donnell.

JOSEPH S. CUNNINGHAM.

MIKE FORD WILL WIN.

Mr. M. J. Ford, whose announcement appears elsewhere in these columns, is a candidate for Alderman from the city at large. Mr. Ford is well known to the citizens of Louisville, having been engaged in the plastering business for more than twenty years, from which he retired in 1894 to engage in the real estate business, and is now located at 315 Fifth street. It was with great reluctance that



Mr. Ford gave up his old trade, which was due to dull times and the decline in prices. Our architects and builders speak of him in the highest terms, both as a gentleman and a mechanic. He also has the esteem and good will of the journeymen plasterers of the city, because he did first-class work and paid the men good wages. Many of the principal public buildings and private residences, especially the finer ones in the southern portion of the city, attest his workmanship. Mr. Ford is a thorough business man and is in every way qualified to fill the position of Alderman.

CATHOLIC KNIGHTS.

Their Grand Concert Will
Take Place At Macauley's
Monday Evening.

After months of preparation the concert under the auspices of all the Catholic Knight branches of the city will be given at Macauley's Theatre next Monday evening. The programme is a varied and entertaining one, arranged by some of the leading talent of the city. All have entered into it with zeal, as the Catholics have rarely called upon the public in any manner for patronage, and in this instance, being all united, of all nationalities and classes, they have secured the universal approval and assistance of all in preparing an entertainment that will eclipse anything heretofore presented to the public. The low price of admission should insure them a crowded house, and you will regret if you miss it.

GEORGE GILMORE DESOUCHET.

George Gilmore DeSouchet, candidate for Councilman from the Fourth ward, is a sterling Democrat, and makes his initial bow before the Democratic primary. His friends are legion, owing to the prominence given him in labor cir-



cles. He is President of the Bartenders' Union, and Secretary of Central Labor Union. "My platform," says George, "is low taxes, home industries and union labor." He is, as his name implies, an Irish Frenchman. You might as well try to move one of the pyramids of Egypt as to change him from that which is right, and we predict that he will win with ease.

WELL-KNOWN LADY'S DEATH.

Last Saturday morning Mrs. Ellen Reddington died at her home on Baird street, and her death is mourned by a wide circle of friends and acquaintances. The deceased was born in Ballintubber, County Mayo, Ireland, but has been a resident of this city for nearly fifty years. She is survived by a son and daughter, Mr. John Reddington and Mrs. Edward Scully. Mrs. James King, of West Madison street, is her sister. Mrs. Reddington was a most devout Catholic, and her deeds of charity were innumerable. Many young men of this city are indebted to her for kindly advice and assistance, and to them her death came as a shock. The remains were taken from the residence of her daughter to St. Patrick's church, where the funeral services took place Monday morning, being conducted by Right Rev. Monsignor Gambon, who paid a glowing tribute to the many Christian traits of the deceased. The interment was in St. Louis cemetery.

GOLDEN JUBILEE.

The Trappists Will Celebrate
at Gethsemani Abbey Next
Month.

Papal Ablegate and Many Other
Church Dignitaries Will
Attend.

One of the Oldest and Most
Austere Orders in the Cath-
olic Church.

INCLUDES NOTED AND ABLE MEN

The Papal Ablegate in the United States, Archbishop Martinelli, will visit Kentucky on the occasion of the celebration of the golden jubilee of the Trappists at the Abbey of Gethsemani in Nelson county on Wednesday, June 7. Many other high dignitaries in the church will be in attendance, among them Right Rev. E. P. Prendergast, D. D., Auxiliary Bishop of Philadelphia; Rev. J. J. Dougherty, of New York City, and many of the Catholic clergy of Kentucky. Special trains will leave this city on that morning for the accommodation of visitors. The occasion promises to be a notable one. The new Abbot, Right Rev. M. Obrecht, is a man of affairs, traveled and learned, and the Abbey is taking on new life since his appointment. Before entering the order it is said he was a Captain of artillery in the French army, serving during the Franco-Prussian war.

The Trappists are a branch of the Benedictines. They take their name from the monastery of La Trappe in France. In the Abbey of Gethsemani there are eighty-seven members—eighteen priests, fourteen choir religious not priests, and fifty-five lay brothers and family brothers. An average of twenty boarders are at the Abbey the year round.

They observe silence under the rule of St. Benedict, who wrote: "Let us do what the Prophet saith: 'I will take heed of my ways that I sin not with my tongue. I have set a guard to my mouth,' etc. And again: 'In a multitude of words there shall not want sin.' 'Death and life are in the power of the tongue.'"

The motto of the order is "Ora et labora"—Pray and work. Therefore the life of the Trappist does not consist in continually reciting prayers or meditations, but also in manual labor. Seven or eight hours are daily given to prayer and five or six devoted to manual labor. As idleness is the enemy of the soul, the brethren, according to the rules of the order, must be employed alternately in manual labor or pious reading. The Trappists may speak only to the first superior and to the spiritual director concerning spiritual matters, or when necessary to one's brethren, but in the presence of the superiors.

They rise for prayer about 2 o'clock, and offer these prayers not only for themselves but for the outside world. They eat no meat and live on the vegetables raised by their own hands on the lands surrounding the monastery, which are filled with great care.

In the order are many distinguished men who have given up the world, preferring a life of seclusion.

CHATTERSON FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEE.

In another column will be found the card of Mr. J. M. Chatterson, the well known attorney, announcing his candidacy for school trustee for the Eighth and Ninth wards. Mr. Chatterson has served four years in the School Board, and displayed fitness and ability of the highest order. He is a gentleman of education and liberal ideas, and the interests of our teachers and school children could not be placed in better hands. His past services on the more important committees are recognized by such numbers as to insure his nomination and election.

SOCIAL AND EUCHRE.

One of the most enjoyable social events of the season will be the euchre and dance to be given at Hibernian Hall next Monday evening. Now that summer is approaching the weather will soon be too warm for this favorite amusement, therefore all should avail themselves of this chance to play at the popular ball before it is too late. The prizes selected for Monday night are both beautiful and useful, and the winners will certainly have cause to be congratulated. In the interim between the euchre and the dance refreshments, consisting of all the delicacies of the season, will be served. Scally's orchestra will furnish dance music and Dr. George P. Luckett will be music director, which is sufficient guarantee that this part of the programme will be fully up to the standard.

MACKIN COUNCIL.

Mackin Council will give its annual outing at Fern Grove on Tuesday, June 13. The steamers Columbia and Sunshine have been engaged for the occasion. The council will set its own meals on the grounds, so you need not burden yourselves with a heavy basket.

The price of tickets has been placed at 25 cents. Children under nine years of age free.

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READ THIS.

We know that you like the Kentucky Irish American. Will you do us the favor to pass it along when you have read it to some one whom you know does not subscribe to it? Mail an occasional copy to friends. It will cost you but little trouble, after all, and will bring to them much pleasure. Between friends this is not much to ask.

UNITED IRELAND FIRST.

In the recent elections in Ireland, while nationalism was overwhelmingly victorious, partisanship was ignored and strictly party candidates generally defeated. There is a lesson in this for party leaders in Ireland and it seems to be bearing fruit. The war of words between the leaders are not so lengthy nor bitter, and between the lines it can be seen that there is a desire to acquiesce in the manifest wish of the people for a cessation of strife, ignoring of special reforms, sectional and personal preferences, and a demand for a union of leaders and parties, of efforts and strength for the promotion of the cause of Ireland as a whole. The leaders of the parties all recognize and understand the voice of the Irish people as expressed in the elections, and though they discuss plans and intimate that their rivals are to blame for lack of unity in the past and stand in the way of it now, none dare even suggest anything to the contrary.

As to who shall take the initiative or on what basis or under which leader union is to be accomplished there may be difference, but that all parties must agree to some sort of unity or be abandoned by the Irish people is beyond all question; and if the party leaders can not agree upon a basis of unity there is a fair prospect of existing leaders and parties being ignored, and the formation of a new national party representing the new issues which the changed conditions present under leaders chosen by the people, absorbing the present parties, burying their contentions, profiting by their blunders and assigning their leaders to labor for Ireland in a general and united party of the people.

That something like this is expected is indicated by the caution of the leaders and papers of all the Irish parties in discussing the propositions for unity, the absence of denunciation of rivals, and, more than anything else, by the advent of conservative men not politicians or desirous of leadership or office into the controversy. Their suggestions are attracting attention, and, outside of the partisans, have most weight with the people.

The party leaders are seeking, with as little evident back-down as possible, to arrange some way for unity without sacrificing their parties or leadership, but fully recognize that there must be unity on some basis. The people want it, and may tire of the dallying of party leaders, take the matter into their own hands and form a party, and then the party leaders' opportunity will be gone. The leader and party which brings about the union of the Irish people on a basis of national interest, embracing Ireland's ultimate autonomy and home rule, is the leader and party of Ireland for the future, and all others must cooperate or give way to it.

We publish the cards of many candidates for the suffrage of the people. Without being in any sense partisan, we commend them to the consideration of our readers as fully worthy to discharge the duties of the offices to which they aspire.

WHO ARE THE PEOPLE?

The dear people! O, how we love the people! is the refrain of the politician and the political newspaper. But who are the people? In these days of partisanship, demagoguery and campaigns, that is more difficult to decide than may at first seem. It depends what paper you read or political speaker you hear, which political party is representing, striving and suffering for the best interests of the people. None of them care for the offices, the patronage, the jobs, the honors, the money—far from it; they only desire to relieve the burdens, better the condition, further the interests and benefit the people, Democrat, Republican, Populist, Prohibition, all parties, yea, every candidate, sings the same tune to the same note.

But yet, who are the people; that is, who are really meant by the speakers and newspaper writers when they advocate the rights of the people, the redress of grievances to the people? Try to investigate. Learn, if you can, who are enjoying the benefits, the spoils, the glory of the present control of the offices; who is doing and receiving pay for public works; who is holding the deputyships and odds and ends? Then hear the candidate for reelection, his friends and co-partners, his organs, and you learn that the interests of the people have been faithfully looked after, protected and promoted, and to displace them would be detrimental to everything dear to the people.

But hear an opposing candidate, his friends who expect to be deputies, to get a slice of public work, his newspaper organs who affect to take care of the public printing or some other little things—and how the rascally, incompetent and careless incumbents have neglected their duties, mismanaged the business and stolen the money of the people. That the public interests, the public safety, the very existence of the Government—the country, in fact—demands a change; the ousting of the present regime, the election of the candidates, the party of the people.

But there are generally more than two parties or sets of candidates, and each sings the same song of self-praise as champions and sole representatives of the people, and refers to all the others in vituperation and ridicule as the enemies of the people to be suspected, ostracized, ousted.

Then who, in politics, are the people? That depends on which party you vote with, which candidate you prefer, which newspaper you accept as your gospel truth and beacon light. The people! Where are they in politics, anyhow? Who really represents them, is authorized to speak for them? "We, the people!" The three tailors of Tooley street are long since dead, but not forgotten—for at least in their case do "their deeds live after them." Vox Populi!!!

Councilman Cronin is up against it. The Times condemns and abuses him for not reporting on the claim for work on the jail, and charges him with everything under the sun. Had he voted for that paper for City Printer his action, which is sustained by the City Attorney, would meet with the approval of the entire Times force. The Times' antagonism will assist in landing Cronin in the Board of Aldermen.

We intend to make our first anniversary a red-letter occasion by issuing a double number. It will offer inducements to advertisers.



John Kelly, of Eighteenth and Baird, is still confined to his home by illness.

Mrs. D. S. Kelly, of Jeffersonville, has returned from an enjoyable visit in Iowa.

Miss Lena Moore, of Shelbyville, was this week the guest of friends in this city.

John Keaney's friends will be glad to learn that his condition is much improved.

Col. Tom Batman was among the Louisvilleans sojourning at West Baden Springs this week.

James Duffy has been enjoying a vacation at West Baden, and his condition is reported much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Delaney, of Philadelphia, spent several days with friends in New Albany this week.

Miss Grace Griffiths has gone to Crawfordsville, Ind., where she will spend several weeks visiting relatives.

Miss Grace Gibbons, of New Albany, is now in Indianapolis, where she will study music with her sister, Mrs. Carr.

The many friends of Thomas Flahive will regret to learn that he is seriously ill at his home on Oldham street.

Miss Katherine Caldwell left for New York City last Monday, where she went to join her sister, Miss Marguerite.

Miss Kate O'Neal, of Jeffersonville, who has been the guest of her aunt in New York, is expected home next week.

Mrs. Lee Gibbons left this week for Indianapolis, where she will remain some time as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Carr.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nevan have returned to their home in New Albany, after a delightful trip up the Kentucky river.

Martin Cleary, well-known in Irish-American society circles, has gone to Chicago, where he may locate permanently.

Martin Nally is unable to leave his home at Thirteenth and High streets. He is suffering from a severe attack of chills and fever.

Thomas Lavelle, of Rock Island, who came here to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Reddington, returned to his home Tuesday night.

Misses Nellie and Reda Keane have returned to Nazareth Academy, after a short visit to the bedside of their father, who has been very ill.

Mrs. J. B. Wathen, accompanied by her daughters, Misses Eleanor and Josephine, are visiting friends and relatives in New York and Philadelphia.

Miss Nani Newman, one of Lexington's most popular young society ladies, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Sullivan, 314 East Breckinridge street.

Misses May and Fannie Higgins, two charming society girls of St. Louis, were this week the guests of Miss Blanche Meehan, of 1606 Second street.

Joseph Connors, a well-known employee of the Louisville City Railway Company, is confined to his home at 1841 Bank street, suffering from an attack of typhoid fever.

Miss Carrie May Wagner came home from the Sacred Heart Academy to spend her birthday anniversary with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wagner, 1936 Sixth street.

The golden jubilee of St. Mary's school, on Eight street, this city, will be appropriately celebrated May 30. A boat excursion to Fern Grove, will be a pleasant feature of the occasion.

Edward Daley and Samuel Newman have returned from a successful hunting and fishing trip through Nelson county. They presented Mike Ward more game than he could carry home.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Lily Zorn and John Immoore, both well-known and popular young people. The wedding will take place during the early summer.

Miss Mary Rogers, who has been studying at the Teachers' College, of New York, will return to this city early in June to spend the summer with her parents on West St. Catherine street.

Miss Anna McGregor was given the rousing benefit she deserved at the Temple Theater Monday evening. Her friends and admirers filled the house, and the performance netted her the neat sum of \$500.

Miss Kate Murphy, who has been teaching school in Covington during the past winter, will return to the city next week to spend the summer with her mother, Mrs. Ellen Murphy, of 138 East Broadway.

Mr. J. B. Murphy officiated as Mayor of Jeffersonville in the absence of Mayor Rader this week. Many hope to yet see the popular Fifth-ward Councilman fill the position permanently. He has the ability to do it.

The fact that John Doolan has increased his visits to a West Magazine-

street neighborhood from two to three times a week has caused no little comment. His friends are saying that the happy event can not be far off now.

Miss Mary E. Sullivan, of Lafayette, Ind., is visiting the family of her uncle, Mr. John P. Sullivan, 314 East Breckinridge street. Miss Sullivan is a most accomplished young lady, and is much admired by those who have met her.

Among the many happy weddings announced for June will be that of Miss Susan Mattingly and Dr. Max Eble, which will be solemnized at the Dominican church. The bride is a lovely lady, and the doctor is to be congratulated on his winning so worthy a wife.

The ladies and gentlemen of St. George's church invite their friends to meet them at the residence of Mrs. C. Kochs, Eighteenth and Bayless avenue, Tuesday evening, where a strawberry and ice cream social will be held, to be followed by dancing and other amusing exercises.

A young grocer arrived last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Michael D. Lawler, Nineteenth and Duncan streets. He is a lustrous chap and tips the scales at ten pounds. Before he arrives at the age of twenty-one we hope Papa Lawler will find himself at the head of a wholesale grocery.

The annual dancing exhibition of the pupils of Miss Blanche Mitchell at Macaulay's Theater Wednesday evening was most gratifying to the friends of the pretty dancers. All acquitted themselves handsomely, but Misses Christine Hopkins, Marie Murphy, Josephine Byrnes and Nellie Finnegan and Master Phillip Connell are entitled to special praise for their really artistic work.

Invitations are out announcing the marriage of Mr. William J. King and Miss Corinne McCrory, which will be solemnized at the Cathedral on Wednesday, June 14. Rev. Father Creaney tying the nuptial knot. The bride-elect is a handsome and vivacious young lady, the daughter of Mr. P. McCrory, and is well-known in West End social circles. Mr. King is a very popular fireman on the Louisville & Nashville road, the son of John King.

Misses Lucy and Isabelle Hawkins were given a surprise party by their friends last Monday evening. Those present were: Misses Katie B. Ingram, Lizzie Houlihan, Josie Reardon, Bridget King and Susie and Miranda Spivens; Messrs. Dave Burke, Dan Hartnett, Lemuel Spivens, Andy Rink, Pat Ross, John Perkins, Ed Smedler, Pat O'Loughlin and James Laugan. Dancing and games were indulged in to a late hour. At the close those present offered a toast of thanks to Dave Burke and Katie B. Ingram, who so ably managed the affair.

The Young Ladies' Auxiliary of Trinity Council 230, Young Men's Institute, have arranged the following programme for their ice cream social at the club house of Trinity Council, 524 East Madison street, Tuesday evening, May 30: Recitation, by Miss Ida and Dave Alexander; singing, by Miss Emma and Mr. William Fisher; comic recitation, by Miss Lillie Alexander. The following well-known and popular young ladies will compose the Reception Committee: Mrs. P. Byron, Misses Daisy Francis, Maggie Daley, Mayne Neil, Lillian Kooper, Bettie Stark and Louisa Schwaninger.

One of the most brilliantly solemnized weddings ever witnessed at the Cathedral was that which occurred Tuesday at noon, when Right Rev. Bishop McLoskey united in marriage Miss Mary M. Gatto and Mr. Joseph M. Wachtel. The church was filled with the friends and admirers of the happy couple, and the scene was an enchanting one. The bride is the beautiful daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Gatto, and since her girlhood has been a leader in Italian society circles and noted in many quarters for her many excellent traits of character. The happy husband is a well-known young man, who numbers his friends in all parts of the city. The ushers were Martiu Wachtel, Jr., Tony Montecicco, John Johnson and Tony Fontana. Immediately after the ceremony the young couple left for an extended bridal tour through the East, followed by the best wishes of all who have the pleasure of knowing them.

Mr. and Mrs. William Norton, of 1009 West Chestnut street, entertained a number of friends last Sunday evening, celebrating the confirmation of their handsome little daughter, Miss Maggie, who also held a reception for her classmates from the Presentation Academy. During the evening the guests were served with a bounteous dinner. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Field of Owensboro, Mr. and Mrs. William Cronin, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Graves, Mrs. D. C. Graves, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Nold, Mrs. J. D. Illi, Mrs. Eugene Blandford, Mr. and Mrs. William Bush, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Uhrig, Mrs. Fannie Whiting, Mr. Frank Norton, Mrs. B. Spatz, Masters Carlisle Uhrig and Clifton Bush, Misses Mary Norton, Mamie, Catherine and Emma Finnegan, Julia Cummings, Ella and Sarah Cobleus, Hannah, Annie and Bee Nagle, Carrie Ritter, Mamie Crush, Maria O'Brien, Blanche Goldbach, Lizzie O'Brien, Edith Gast, Ella Green, Eva Netherland, Clara Gorman, Katie O'Brien, Jennie Green, Katie Dante, Annie Tierney, Eva Norton, Mary Wolfe, Eula Podesta, Dorothy Norton.

The Kilrush County Council has adopted a resolution to have all union elections in future decided by ballot.

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Urges All Irishmen to Be Prepared For the Next General Election.

The Parnellites Will Join in Any Real Effort to Bring About Unity.

THE WORK OF COUNTY COUNCILS.

Mr. John P. Hayden, M. P., presided at the fortnightly meeting of the Head Branch of the Irish Independent League which was held in Dublin this month. An extremely large and representative audience listened to a practical and convincing speech by the Chairman. Having spoken at the outset on the gratifying results of the County Council elections, he urged the necessity of registration, especially for the recapturing of Stephen's Green seat. Referring to Sir Charles Gavan Duffy's remarkable letter to the Independent, he showed how the eminent Irishman had justified the Parnellites in their policy of toleration and had borne out their arguments on the unity question. An instructive debate on registration was next contributed by Nationalists from different wards of the city. An admirable suggestion was made by one of these speakers, that workmen should start registration associations in their trades union rooms. This was recommended by the Chairman for consideration.

The Chairman, who was cordially received, said since the last time they had met the country had gone through a trial as to whether it was fit or not to govern itself. He testified that the manner in which elections had been carried out throughout Ireland, and the conduct displayed by the new councils assembled within the past week or so, had shown that the Irish people were as capable of managing their own affairs as the people of any country in the world. The effect of the elections was to show, especially to their own countrymen who differed from them on the national question, that they had nothing to fear from an independent self-governing Ireland. The men who had been elected, and the manner in which they had acted when they came together on the new councils, had given a certain amount of satisfaction even to the minority in Ireland. The Chairman spoke from his own experiences of several who differed from them on the national question, and who had expressed to him surprise and satisfaction at the class of men elected who, while representing the predominant national feeling of the country, had shown a fitness for administrative affairs which compared favorably with those who administered them under the old system. He pointed out that now, having elected the councils, their next duty was to attend to the register, particularly having regard to the seriousness with which the suggestion of a member of the English Government of an approaching general election had been treated by the press and public men. That showed that possibly the general election might come much sooner than they anticipated. He emphasized the fact that the constituency in Dublin would require their closest attention. Perhaps others might claim their attention, but his one in particular would be Stephen's Green, which was admittedly a Nationalist constituency, but was at present in the hands of those who were opposed to granting their national claims. They were now entering on registration, and the requisition forms were being sent out by their officials. He assured them that although the filing of requisitions should not require any information, yet the officials of the League were always at the disposal of the people in connection with their claims. He asked the Nationalists

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In return to help the League in that work, so that if a general election came soon, which was not unlikely, they would be able to make Dublin solid for the National cause. The Chairman next referred to what he described as the remarkable letter which had appeared in the Independent from that able and distinguished Irishman, Sir Charles Gavan Duffy, which should claim the particular notice of everybody interested in the progress of the Irish cause. That letter, coming from such a distinguished man, who was not mixed up with any party controversies in Ireland—who, looking on from a distance, perhaps was able to see with a clearer vision than those nearer home, supplied a splendid vindication of the position the Independent party took up with regard to the recent elections. The Parnellites went in for no policy of vindictiveness or vengeance against those who were losing their power in the country. They did not go in for wresting every position from those who differed from them, but they had insisted that in every possible place the Nationalists should secure large, overwhelming majorities in the various counties, so that his one in particular would be Stephen's Green, which was admittedly a Nationalist constituency, but was at present in the hands of those who were opposed to granting their national claims. They were now entering on registration, and the requisition forms were being sent out by their officials. He assured them that although the filing of requisitions should not require any information, yet the officials of the League were always at the disposal of the people in connection with their claims. He asked the Nationalists

Irishmen was opposed to it, and then showed that the position successfully assumed by the Parnellites teaches those people that under home rule they would have very little to fear from the majority of the Irish people. That was the view taken by a man of the varied experience of Sir Charles Gavan Duffy, who declared it was a wise and national policy—the one policy calculated to advance home rule. They had every reason to feel satisfied with the results and with the impression made by the attitude toward the minority of their countrymen. Passing on to deal with the unity question, he made it plain that while the Parnellites of Ireland sincerely desired unity, and because they desired it they had held aloof of the unity negotiations—because they believed them to be a sham, and did not think they would bring about unity. If they thought it was an earnest effort they would have entered into it wholeheartedly. To put the matter to a test they offered a certain conference to those who were trading on unity to see what exactly they wanted. Sir Charles Gavan Duffy put the matter in a nutshell when he declared that crowds could not negotiate. That was the view of the Parnellites all along. As Sir Charles said, even a crowd of diplomatists could not negotiate. Many of the Irish members of various sections were far from being diplomatists, and what their diplomacy some of them did possess would soon depart from them. He justified the action of the Parnellites in holding aloof from the unity proceeding, and at the same time expressed approval of unity, if it could be brought about properly on the lines of Parnell. In conclusion, he said as soon as the Parnellites saw there was any real effort being made to bring about unity, then, and not till then, was the time to give the matter their serious consideration.

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IRELAND.

Record of the Most Important of the Recent Events Culled From Exchanges.

At all the County Council meetings the demand for home rule is again being placed in the forefront.

Patrick A. Mooney, Chairman of the Ballyshannon District Council, has been sworn in as a Justice of the Peace for County Donegal.

An English syndicate has offered to purchase the Limerick gas works from the Borough Council, under whose management it is at present worked.

Notwithstanding that the salary for the Clerkship of the Kilrush Union has been considerably reduced, there are a host of candidates in the field, all possessing considerable local influence.

The Crown Sessions for the Division of Londonderry were held May 5 before his Hon. Judge Overend. There were no prisoners returned for trial, and his honor was handed a pair of white gloves.

At the last meeting of the Gorey Board of Guardians a home rule resolution was passed, which was the first of its kind ever adopted by that body. The Earl of Courtown for over forty years ruled such resolutions out of order.

The following have been elected as Governors to represent the Cashel district on the new committee in County Tipperary under the local government act: Col. Murphy, Major Phillips, Col. Trant, C. M. Barry and Daniel Devitt.

A farmer named Samuel Scott, of Carlow, near Bandon, committed suicide by hanging himself in one of his barns. He rose at 3 o'clock in the morning in his usual health, no one being suspicious of the terrible act he contemplated.

On Wednesday, May 10, the provincial campaign opened at Herbertstown, County Limerick, and Shillelagh, both of which meetings met with every success. That day week Queen's College, Cork, sports came off at Nardye cricket ground.

The remains of Mrs. Keane, wife of Mr. H. J. Keane, late of Messrs. Todd, Burns & Co., Dublin, were on May 5 conveyed to Glasnevin. The large attendance testified in a marked manner the great respect and esteem in which the deceased lady was held.

A painter named Richard Morris, aged sixty-six years, while working for Mr. Thornton, contractor, at a house in South William street, Dublin, fell from a ladder and sustained severe injuries. He was at once brought to Mercer's Hospital, where he expired in five minutes after admission.

As the season advances mackerel fishing along the Kerry coast is turning out as great a success as the highest expectations could desire. One night recently the takes were very heavy, some of the deep sea boats having as much as 10,000 each. Prices are still keeping up to a good average.

Great regret has been felt in Drogheda at the death of the Mayor, N. Farrell, which took place recently. His worship had been in bad health for some time past. Mr. Farrell was an estimable citizen and Chief Magistrate. In politics he was a supporter of the Independent Nationalist party.

An inquest was held at Enniskillen on the body of a young man named Bernard Moolan, whose body was found lying terribly mutilated on the line near Cassidy's Crossing, Enniskillen. The jury found that death was due to accident, and that no blame could be attached to the railway company.

Joseph Pratt has notified all his tenants around Kingscourt, County Cavan, that he is prepared to sell his estate to them at eighteen years' purchase. Mr. Pratt on becoming owner of the estate reinstated all the evicted tenants on reasonable terms, and has since lived on very friendly terms with the tenants.

Nationalists in Wexford county were pleased to notice that in choosing from the many home rule resolutions before the county the Dublin Council gave the preference to that adopted by the Wexford County Council, which was a literal copy of that adopted by the Irish volunteers at Duncannon in 1782.

H. Garland, aged sixty years, was found in an unconscious state on Saturday in Summer Hill, Dublin. The constable had him removed to Jervis-street Hospital. He never regained consciousness and died Friday morning. He was attended by Dr. Meldon, who on examination found he had sustained a fracture of the skull.

The County Council have expressed an opinion that there are too many workhouses in Clare, and that it would be a general saving to the rate payers if a scheme of amalgamation was carried out. Some time ago it was in contemplation to close up some of the workhouses and it is the general opinion that such unions as Corofin and others could easily be dispensed with.

All Tipperary is up and doing taking steps to mark in some appreciable manner the gallant services rendered to Ireland during the Rugby season just closed by Mike and Jack Ryan, of Rockwell College. At the adjourned meeting held in Dobbyn's Hotel it was unanimously decided that the brothers be presented with an illuminated address and also entertained at supper last Monday.

The members of the Cork Harbor Board, who so willingly a few weeks ago passed a resolution in favor of Southern railway amalgamation, have now apparently become afraid of their rashness and precipitancy. The Harbor Board are afraid the trade of the port of Cork will be imperilled by the railway bills that a few weeks ago they were ready to encourage and cordially support.

A strike has broken out in Belfast in which ten firms are concerned and the total number of men affected is between 200 and 250. It seems that the Builders' Association passed a set of working rules

which were to come into operation on May 1, and which involved a reduction of a penny per hour in wages. The men refused to accept these alterations, and they came out on protest against the new rules.

The election of Dr. Carroll to the position of doctor for the Dundrum dispensary district is certain to meet with the approval of the general public. Dr. Carroll is a young practitioner of ability and will discharge the duties connected with his office to the satisfaction of all. He was elected by forty-one votes to fourteen, which is rather a sweeping victory. The salary attached to the position is \$600 a year.

Intelligence reached Tralee of a fatal affray outside Miltown, in Kerry. The parties, returning from a fair, had an altercation, presumably about some land. Charles O'Connor and to some were arrested for attacking Daniel O'Connor. The latter was struck with a stick. Charles O'Connor's two sons met Daniel secondly, and another argument arose. Daniel, on arriving home, was found to be seriously injured. Medical assistance was summoned, but O'Connor succumbed to his injuries.

The programme for the Feis Ceoi which opened last week in Dublin was a most attractive one. It included prize competitions in every branch of music (and for these 1,500 competitors were entered); three grand evening concerts, in which many of the successful compositions were performed, while the remainder of the programme consisted of selections of Irish music rendered by distinguished artists, and an interesting lecture on "The History of Musical Effort in Dublin During the Century."

The Dublin County Council has been the last to meet. But though last, it is not least. In the selection of a Chairman it has shown its wisdom. Than P. J. O'Neill, of Kinsella House, Malahide, there could not be a better Chairman.

Mr. O'Neill has had a long experience of public affairs. He is a gentleman of proved ability and tact, and he is a sterling Nationalist. That he will make an excellent Chairman of the metropolitan county we are certain. The new Council and its Chairman are alike to be congratulated on the selection.

Never surely were the prospects for Cork Park more brilliant than on the present occasion, says a correspondent. The spring meeting next week ought to be a record breaker. Step by step the fortunes of the gathering have progressed under enlightened management until now the affair has regained its former high position among Irish fixtures. The entries are simply stupendous, and class is to the fore right through the programme, while the prizes including the grand stand plate of 500 sovereigns have mounted in value for beyond any provincial standard.

At the Cork Police Court on Saturday Richard Barrett, who is in custody in connection with the murder of Jeremiah Keohane, near Bantry, on the night of the 14th inst., was put forward. Barrett, who appears to be a young man of about thirty years of age, has a rather pale face and a close sandy beard. He wore a new suit of dark gray tweed and a black striped shirt, but had no collar or tie.

Sergeant McGrath, Bantry, handed the depositions made in the case, and asked as some additional evidence had been obtained that the prisoner should be remanded for a further term of days. The application was granted.

The O'Connor Don, the new County Councillor, who is also Lord Lieutenant of the County of Roscommon, is sixty-one years of age. He was born in Dublin, and sat in Parliament for Roscommon for a number of years till 1880. He has led an active public life, and his services to the cause of education have been very great. He succeeded Mr. Childers as Chairman of the Finance Relations Commission, and his work in that connection is destined to bear good fruit. He has written a history of the O'Connors of Connaught. Had he the leisure, no doubt, he could write a very interesting history of the O'Briens of Connaught as well.

An extraordinary case of alleged attempted suicide by a man named Welsh occurred at Glengormley, near Belfast. It appears that Welsh was formerly engaged as boots in the Osborne Hotel, Belfast, and had lately suffered from the hallucination of being hunted by the police for some imagined offense. To escape his phantom pursuers he walked out to Carnmoney bog, about a mile outside Glengormley, and on arrival there is alleged to have broken the glass of his watch and hacked his throat in a frightful manner. The unfortunate man was conveyed to the Royal Hospital, Belfast, and lies in a weak state owing to loss of blood. When sufficiently recovered he will be charged with attempting to commit suicide.

Clare County Councillors performed their duties admirably at their first meeting. After selecting a temporary chairman they immediately settled down to business, and better still every Councillor present seemed to be fully alive to the grave responsibility with which his position is surrounded. Of course, in such a thoroughly Nationalist assembly as the Clare County Council care was taken to put the national demand for a home rule Parliament, independent of British rule, first on the agenda paper, while the unfortunate Clare prisoners were not forgotten, for whose release Willie Redmond has so unceasingly worked. They have suffered years of torture, and it is only vindictiveness to keep them longer imprisoned. The county was never so peaceful, as it is now, which considerably strengthens the demand for the release of these men.

Notices have been sent to the members of the Irish-American Society requesting their presence at a special meeting to be held tonight at Hibernian Hall. There are several questions of vital importance to the membership to be disposed of, and it is expected that the hall will be crowded.

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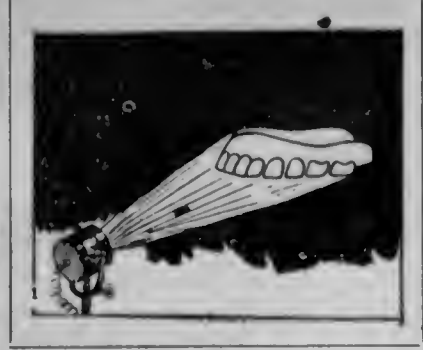
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HIBERNIANS.

What They Have Been Doing
the Past Week—General
News Notes.

We regret having no report from Division 2 this week.

Tickets are out for the picnic of Division 4 at Lion Garden, July 24.

John O'Hearn was at Hibernian Hall Wednesday evening for the first time this year.

Commencing with June 1 the initiation fee will be \$3. There are a few days left in which to apply at the old rate.

Mike Tynan, Tom Cody and John Mulloy will provide a programme for the jubilee that will embrace many new features.

Tom Mulverhill was initiated by Division 1 this week, and the division is to be congratulated upon his accession to its ranks.

Members of the order who do not attend the meetings of their divisions when officers are to be elected are subject to a fine.

President Clancy was greatly pleased with the large number present when he opened the meeting of Division 1 Tuesday evening.

Charles J. Cronin, Peter B. and J. W. Callahan were admitted to Division 4 Wednesday evening. Good men for a good division.

Tom Shelly was warmly greeted by the members of Division 1 Tuesday evening. He is one of the old guard whose presence is always welcome.

The Hall Board at its last meeting appointed a special committee to provide for the addition of several novel features of an entertaining and amusing nature.

Division 4 will elect officers for the ensuing year at its first meeting in June. President Hennessy will be unanimously elected if he can be prevailed upon to serve another term.

Division 4 has 175 members in good standing, and Wednesday last elected ten and referred fifteen applications. President Hennessy only smiles when any remark is made concerning banner divisions. Fifty names have been added during the last five months.

It is amusing to note the difference in the domestic condition of the members of the Young Men's Division now and what it was a year ago, inasmuch as most all the single brothers are either married or soon will be. The girls should heed and attend all the amusements of the division this season.

The Young Men's Division is again getting together its baseball players and soon will be heard from on the diamond. They think that with an earlier start than last year they will be able to make a creditable showing. They would like to play the Hibernian Knights, Division 4 and Mackin Council in order named. Address challenges to Jack Yenner.

DUBLIN TRADES UNION LOYALTY.

The solidarity which exists among trades unionists was well illustrated by an incident which occurred in Dublin the other day. The affair was in connection with the strike of carpenters in Edinburgh. It appears that two agents from the employers in that city came to Dublin for the purpose of engaging carpenters there to replace the men who have knocked off work. The emissaries secured the services of twenty-five Dublin members of the trade, and engaged passages for them by the steamship Duke of Pife. But just as the contingent were about to embark they were met by representatives of their own organization here. The position was explained, and the twenty-five recruits, who up to that moment had been apparently in ignorance that any question of principle was involved, withdrew immediately from their engagement and returned their tickets to the discomfited agents, protesting that they had been misled as to the circumstances of the case. Thereupon the canny Scotchmen took their departure for the Land of Cakes, amid the groaning of the Dublin tradesmen, whom they had come within an ace of placing in a false position. The loyalty of the Dublin carpenters, who threw personal considerations to one side in view of a matter affecting their fellow-workers, even though the latter belonged to another country, is very creditable to them, and demonstrates the strength of trades union principles.

HINTS TO ENGAGED GIRLS.

Don't put on little airs and affectations when your lover is present, but be your own natural self. Remember it was you who fell in love with him, not the manners which to outsiders are so charming.

Don't allow him to monopolize all your time, to the exclusion of your girl friends and house-hold duties; you will have time enough to think of no one but him and his comfort when you are married.

Don't be dissatisfied if he does not give you as handsome presents as your friend's lover gives her; you may be sure he will spend all he can afford on gifts for you, and he is very wise not to go beyond his income.

Don't, when he is away from you, allow malicious whisperings of his doings to cause you uneasiness. There are many people in the world delighted to come between happy lovers, and too much heed should not be taken of their sayings.

Don't break into his amusements, nor yet constitute yourself mistress of his actions. A man, however deeply in love, likes to feel himself the master, and girls respect him for being so.

Don't forget to interest yourself in the things which interest him. A lack of mutual tastes may prove a serious obstacle to your happiness, and you should try to persuade him towards your tastes while endeavoring to adopt his. True happiness between lovers greatly depends upon the tact of the girl, and she should exercise it upon every possible occasion.

White of egg brushed over Morocco leather freshens it.

CRADLE SONG.

To and fro, to and fro,
With her mother singing low,
Lies my baby, wide awake,
Heeding not the soothing shake,
Nor the swinging to and fro,
Nor her mother—singing low.

To and fro, to and fro;
Steadily the rockers go
O'er some crevice in the floor,
As they did in days of yore
When my mother—singing low—
Rocked her baby to and fro.

To and fro, to and fro—
Hear that midget coo and crow.
See her twist and turn and spy
Just a twinkle in her eye—
Then she laughs aloud, you know,
At her mother—singing low.

To and fro, to and fro—
"Bread to bake and seams to sew.
Beds to make, and sweep and dust,
Baby go to sleep; you must;
You musn't 'tick your legs up so.
Ma must rock you—sing, by lo."

To and fro, to and fro.
O, my darling, could you know
All the weariness and care
You have made your mother there
All your mirth would change to woe
When you heard her sighing so.

To and fro, to and fro.
Patiently the rockers go,
Till at last the eyelids close,
Carried safely to repose
By the tender undertow
Of that song so sweet and low.

O, my pet, my precious one—
When her toil for you is done—
When alone you seek for rest,
Broken-hearted and oppressed,
You will miss the voice, I know,
Of your mother—singing low.

To and fro, to and fro
You to motherhood may grow,
But I'll never forget your glee
As you kicked and laughed at me,
While your mother—singing low,
Rocked and rocked you to and fro.

—[Charles D. Tryon.]

SPORTY ITEMS.

Phillipi is a corner.

At present Wagner is playing a very fast game.

Dowling has been pitching in hard luck this season.

Decker is not playing the game that he put up last year.

Hartzel is a good waiter and seldom fails to get his base.

Clarke must take a brace in his batting and thereby encourage his men.

The Colonels can play better ball than many of the teams of higher standing.

Little Leach needs encouragement, this being his first appearance in fast company.

Dexter got back in the game Wednesday and helped to victory with his good stick work.

Socksalexis has joined Bernie's Hartford team and expects to line them out in his old-time form.

Arlie Latham must have discovered the fountain of youth, as he is one of the most active players on the Washington team.

Keeler is leading the Brooklyn team in batting, with an average of .390. He says that he will be the champion batter of the League again this year.

Heretofore Peter Maher has been called a quitter of the worst kind, but since his fight with Kuhlman, he has been commended for his gameness. At the end of the sixth he was bruised and half-blinded, but he came on and did not show the least sign of quitting. He kept fighting and gave Kuhlman a good beating in return.

Kid McPartland received the decision over "Spike" Sullivan last Tuesday night at the Lenox Athletic Club. McPartland used his left to good advantage and gave Sullivan a terrible punishing. Sullivan made several attempts to knock his man out with a right swing but was unable to land it where it could do any damage. The fight was one of the best ever seen in New York City.

Monday evening witnessed a lively sparring bout at Twelfth and Rowan, under the auspices of the Illinois Central Sporting Club, recently formed, between Dan Keefe, a well-known amateur boxer, and Mike Brown, of the West End. Three lively rounds were fought, and at the beginning of the fourth the combatants mixed it up so lively that friends interfered and stopped the match. Harry Snow, the well-known sporting man of New Albany, refereed the match.

Manager Sanders, of the Kentucky Athletic Club, has completed all arrangements for the fight between Joe Walcott and Jim Watts, which takes place at Music Hall Monday night. Walcott will arrive here Sunday with his manager, Tom O'Rourke, who claims the middle-weight championship for Walcott. Watts is training hard and says that he will fight Walcott on the same order that he fought Janey. Taking everything into consideration this should be one of the swiftest fights ever pulled off in Louisville.

JOHN J. TOOMEY.

John J. Toomey, a well-known young man, has announced himself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Council from the Ninth ward. John has been put forth as a representative of the younger element of Democracy in the ward, who have banded together and are making a hustling canvass in his interest. From present appearances of the race it is a settled fact that the man who beats John for the nomination will have to hustle.

ESCAPED LUCKILY.

Dennis Meagher, the well-known groceryman, who was injured by being thrown out of a huggy last week, is now up and able to be around. The most serious injury Mr. Meagher received was to his arm, it having been broken in three places.

LABOR WORLD

Notes and Gossip of the Week
From All Parts of the
Country.

Central Labor Union meets tomorrow afternoon.

Several of the five-cent barber shops were unionized this week.

A man's sincerity in unionism is more often demonstrated by what he does than by what he says.

The Federal Labor Union will meet Monday night at Beck's Hall. There should be a full attendance.

Thomas Mangan, of the Stereotyper's Union, will be here next week. While in the city he will be the guest of Organizer Higgins.

The Brotherhood of Painters and Decorators of America will hold an open meeting Tuesday night. A cordial invitation is extended those not affiliated to attend.

The Organizing Committee of the Barbers' Union has been doing good work recently. They request trades unions to patronize only those who display the union sign.

The printers are pleased with the result of their late election. Some able men went down in defeat, only because there were not offices enough to go around. Now they will unite in turning their attention to non-union offices.

Delegates to the Central Labor Union will be chosen by the Press Feeders' Union at the meeting to be held Thursday evening. This is one of the most promising of the new unions, and before long every feeder in the city will be a card man.

Those dealers who handle cheap, scab-made cigars have been taught a good lesson recently. They ought to have known that there was something "crooked" with the Pennsylvania cigars. Business men who will not patronize home industries are not worthy of home trade, and workmen should see to it that what they buy is union made.

The molders of Atlanta are jubilant over their victory. For the past eighteen months they have been idle, but this week the employers sent word to International President Fox that they would unionize their establishments throughout and grant an advance of fifteen per cent. in wages. Mr. Fox sent a representative to that city and the union men have all returned to work. This is a significant victory.

MARTYRS' MONUMENT.

Kilrush Nationalists held a splendid meeting recently to push forward the erection of the martyrs' monument in their town. Mr. Luke O'Brien was in the chair, and he was supported by all the leading local Nationalists. The representative attendance was most encouraging, evidencing the fact that the slight differences arising from the recent contested elections had been forgotten. The meeting on Sunday night was a practical one. The County Council will be at once approached for a site, and it is expected that permission for this will be given. A strong committee will take in hand the completion of the collections, which, thanks to the Clare exiles, already amount to a substantial sum. Every Nationalist in Clare who reveres its memory of the martyrs, and he would be a sorry one who would not, will be approached to help on the good work, and please God, ere summer is far advanced, a monument will stand in the Square of Kilrush—a living tribute from Clare men to the memory of three of the noblest spirits and the bravest Irishmen that Ireland could call her own.

IRISH STRAWBERRIES.

Daniel O'Brien, of 293 Main street, Bridgeport, Conn., was the recipient of a basket of luscious strawberries which were grown in his mother's garden at Cork, Ireland. The basket containing the berries was inclosed in a large box, which had at the bottom a drawer, which held a small cake of ice. They were fresh and sweet in spite of their long shipment across the ocean. The express charges on the berries amounted \$3.08, but Mr. O'Brien says that fresh berries from his mother's garden are cheap at any price.

BRIGHT EYES.

Everyone is anxious to have bright eyes and keep their eyesight unimpaired. No lotions are so effective as plenty of cold fresh rain water, to which a little rose water may be added, after a long dry day spent in the sun or dust.

It rests the eyes when used much by lamplight to put a white sheet of paper or a white cloth on the table.

Gas is the great enemy to bright eyes, and lamps or candle-light should be used whenever possible. It is quite sad to see so many school girls and school boys wearing spectacles. The eyesight is impaired much earlier nowadays than formerly, owing to the high pressure at which every-one lives.

Late hours and hard work tell their tale. Those blessed with good sight should treat it with every care and consideration.

BRIEF TIPS.

Never let a child sob itself to sleep. Soot covered with salt is easily brushed up.

Deafness is often caused by boxing the ears.

It ruins a piano to keep it standing in a draught.

Bruised elbows kept among furs frighten away moths.

Whiting and lime juice clean ivory knife handles.

When you want to cut whalebone warm it by the fire.

To reduce a double chin constantly tap it with the finger.

Sufferers from dyspepsia should not drink while eating.

A raw egg swallowed will detach a fishbone in the throat.

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